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Applicant:

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Title:

ASSEMBLY PROCESS FOR SCRAPLESS CLUTCH PLATE

ASSEMBLY

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Sir:

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[] Continuation [] Division [X] Continuation-In-Part (CIP)

of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

[] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (11 pages).
- [X] Informal drawings (4 sheets, Figures 1-4).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- [] Assignment of the invention to Gilman Engineering & Manufacturing Co., LLC.

[]	Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
[]	Small Entity statement.
[]	Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
[]	Information Disclosure Statement.
[]	Form PTO-1449 with copies of listed reference(s).
[]	Preliminary Amendment.
[X]	Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

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Respectfully submitted,

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